

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO  
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**107-145D-C**

In Re Application Of: **A. SAID EL SHAMI**



Serial No.  
**09/036,819**

Filing Date  
**3/9/1998**

Examiner  
**S. DEVI**

Group Art Unit  
**1645**

Invention:

**METHOD FOR MEASURING FREE LIGANDS IN BIOLOGICAL FLUIDS, AND ASSAY KITS FOR MEASURING SAME**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated **9/17/2002** finally rejecting Claim(s) **56**

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